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SUBJ: DESIGNATION OF YAR CAPITAL

BEIRUT FOR RGO HELD

- 1. EMBASSY HAS RECENTLY RECEIVED VARIOUS OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS ADDRESSED TO IT AS SANAA, SAN'A, SANNA, AND SANA.
- 2. IN INTEREST UNIFORMITY REQUEST STANDARD SPELLING SANAA BE AGREED UPON AND THAT COUNTRY IN SHORT FORM BE REFERRED TO AS YEMEN (SANAA). WE FEEL STRONGLY THAT DIACRITICAL MARKS SHOULD NOT BE USED SINCE THEY HAVE NO PRONUNCIATION VALUE FOR GENERAL READER AND ONLY SERVE TO CONFUSE. PRESENTLY PDRY IS REFERRED TO IN SHORT FORM AS YEMEN (ADEN) WITHOUT DIACRITICAL MARKS AND WE BELIEVE SANAA, AS CAPITAL OF COUNTRY, SHOULD ALSO HAVE CLEAR UNIFORM NAME. PROPOSED FORM IS CLOSER TO ARABIC PRONUNCIATION THAN ALTERNATIVE FORMS AND IS SPELLING MOST COMMONLY USED BY YARG ITSELF IN ROMAN ALPHABET.
- 3. IF DEPARTMENT CONCURS REQUEST IT ISSUE APPROPRIATE INSTRUCTIONS. SCOTES

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